



MOTHERS HELP—From left, Mrs. Michael Long and Mrs. Henry Karaszewski members of the South Bay Mothers of Twins Club make real estate phone calls and check off lists of canned goods and clothing supplies for the family of eight children they are helping. The family which includes two-year-old twins, is fatherless.

# for and about Women

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ENROLLS AT PURDUE  
Edward A. Buch, 21422 Grant Ave., Torrance, is among the 2730 enrolling at Purdue University for the 1959-60 fall semester under the advance enrollment program for new students, according to the list announced by the Office of Admissions.  
Use Press classified, FA 8-2345.

## Mother of Twins Club to Aid Family of Eight

Looking after two year old twins can be a problem when they are the youngest of eight children and there isn't enough food, clothing or money.  
Such a mother will be helped by the South Bay Mother of Twins Club when they hold their dinner meeting August 17 at the Entre Nous Restaurant.  
Club members will bring canned goods and clothing for everybody from the mother, call her Mrs. Smith, to the two year olds.  
Adequate housing for the Smith family is also being searched for by the club. Anyone who would like to assist may call Mrs. Jack Deiters, DA 6-6602 for information as to sizes for the six girls and two boys in the family. Husbands of club members have volunteered to call for any furniture that is offered.  
Mrs. Smith has faced the complete responsibility of her family since the birth of the twins. Her husband left before they were born.  
She has been aided by State welfare and neighbors but caring for eight children is a job that will last many years.  
Presently the housing the family is able to afford is far from adequate and considerably below standard. The fifteen year old sister, oldest of the eight, who has been caring for the young family while her mother has been ill, is being denied her own childhood.  
The South Bay Mother of Twins club hopes to ease the burden for the older child and the mother and make the arrival of twins in the family the happy event that it should be.  
Anyone knowing of local housing for the family or with any type of clothing or food items is asked to contact the club.



MRS. RICHARD RUFFELL Photo by Seaman

## Punch-Brunch Benefit Slated for Polynesian

Alpha Gamma Delta alumnae of the South Bay and Torrance are busy now planning their third annual punch-brunch benefit September 26.  
The Polynesian will be the setting for this year's party with punch being served from the miniature outrigger canoe starting at 10:30.  
Brunch will be served at 11:30 to the members and their guests, who will then view a fashion show of new fall styles presented by "Plain and Fancy" of Palos Verdes Plaza.  
According to Mrs. Edward Greenblatt, general chairman of the day, sub-chairmen are already working to make this a very special affair.  
Those working with her are: Mrs. Owen Goodman, assistant chairman; Mrs. George Ausmus and Mrs. James Johnson, art

## Nuptial Vows Unite Rynhart and Ruffell

Sprays of gladioli decorated the Torrance First Baptist Church for the wedding uniting Miss Peggy Rynhart and Richard Ruffell Saturday evening at 8 p.m.  
The bride the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Rynhart of 1207 Hickory Ave. was escorted to the altar on Her gown of chantilly lace over French taffeta featured a sabrina bouquet of yellow roses.  
Bridesmaids were Judi Barnette, Diane St. Martin and Grace Warde. Judi Rynhart acted as junior bridesmaid. All of the attendants wore dresses identical to that of the matron of honor.  
Little Barbara Jackson wearing a white frock with green cummerbund and carrying a basket of yellow rose petals acted as flower girl.  
David Ruffell as best man and Don Mitchell, Skip Smith and Jack Taylor, ushers and Ralph Swan in the role of ring bearer, completed the wedding party.  
Oscar Walton, organist accompanied Joe Hicks, soloist who sang "The Lord's Prayer," "I Love Thee" and "Because" during the ceremonies.  
Following the wedding a reception in honor of the newlyweds was held at the reception hall.  
The bride is a graduate of Torrance High School '58 and attended a year of business college.  
The bridegroom, who graduated from Torrance High School '57, is now a junior at the University of Utah where he is a member of the varsity basketball team.  
The newlyweds are now spending a honeymoon in San Francisco, Calif.

## Rushing Event Held by Local Epsilon Sorority

Gamma Psi chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha, Torrance, held its first rushing event recently at the home of Mrs. Bob Kessenich.  
Mrs. Clare Huff, gave a talk on how to make the plastic flowers the chapter will take up as their educational program for the year.  
Guests for the evening were Mmes. Art Ladd, Walter Van Blum of Manhattan Beach and Dick Meadows and Peggy Gregg of Torrance.  
The chapter held a beach party at Playa Del Rey, August 1st. Refreshments were served and games played.  
The Aug. 11 meeting will be the model meeting at the home of Mrs. Joseph Premeaux, Manhattan Beach, guests will learn about ESA.  
The recent rummage sale increased the treasury more than expected, it was announced.

## Pre-Nuptial Showers Honor Miss King

Pink candles flanked hearts inscribed with the names of Miss Claudia King and fiance Richard Wolverton at the recent pre-nuptial shower at the home of Miss Betty Hope, 603 Madrid.  
Co-hostesses for the shower honoring Miss King of 2267 Carson St., were Sally Kesselman, Jane Moffatt and Delyna Smith.  
Attending were Mmes. Michael Kesselman, Thelma Hope, Carol Matousek, Barbara Hofferber, Beulah Strom, Edna Moffatt, Eva Brundin, Sharon Hayes, Audrey Kirks, Jan Wolverton, Geneva Wolverton, and Rosalind King.  
Also attending were Misses Barbara Hiebert, Kay Smith, Laurella King, Betty Hope, Carol Whittington, Jean Watson, Charlotte McComas, and Lorna King.  
Miss King, was also feted by co-workers from the Torrance Unified School District at the home of Mrs. James Perry, 22010 Ocean, Torrance. The hostess used bows of pink and white carnations as a motif for the miscellaneous shower.  
Assisting the bride-to-be in the gift-opening ceremonies was tiny Shelley Corley, seven-month-old daughter of Mrs. Barbara Corley.  
Also attending were: Mmes. Lois Sherwood, Joan Keidser, Virginia Walker, Helen Olsen and Diane, Dorothy Leach, Helen Pukoff, Donna Almsworth, Marie Swenson, May Sherfey, Doris Hakanson, Marion Colby, Pril Zander, Helene Lupin, Phay Trezise, Jerry McCalman, Irene Smith, Iris

## Woman's Society Makes Plans for September

The Woman's Society of Christian Service, of Walteria, Community Church made plans for Fall at their recent potluck meeting at Walteria Park.  
Meetings in September will be held on alternate evenings and afternoons at 8 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. A luncheon will start at 12:30 for the afternoon session with meetings to be held the third Tuesday of the month.  
A program on prevention of juvenile delinquency from the standpoint of parents, church and school followed the business meeting.  
Mrs. John Chiodano is the new president of the group. She will be assisted by Mmes. Jerry Anderson, vice president; Ratzlaff, secretary and William Burgener, treasurer.  
Mrs. Gene McVicar and the Terrence Coogans, owners of the Shamrock Hotel.

## Miss Snyder on First Out-of-State Trip

Miss Barbara Ann Snyder, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Snyder of 3536 Newton St., is presently visiting relatives in Oregon and Washington.  
Her first trip out of the State, Miss Snyder, a Walteria Elementary school student was met by her mother's sister, Mrs. Fred Fitting and daughter, Joan, in San Francisco.  
Following a tour of Oregon and Washington, Miss Snyder will meet her parents in Palo Alto, Aug. 17, for the return home.  
While in Seattle, Miss Snyder will visit the Fittings, Mr. and

## Bridge Club Activities

August will continue to be an active month for the Torrance Bridge Club.  
Activities to come will include a series game at the YWCA, 8 p.m. August 18, a Master point game, August 20, at 8 p.m. at the Woman's Club, 1422 Engracia, an open pairs championship at the Woman's Club, August 27, and a make friends game at 1 p.m., August 28 at the "Y."



CHEERFUL CHILDREN'S WARDS — Mrs. Dr. Moreno, Sharon Allen, 3 1/2, and Torrance Memorial Hospital Director Leonard Ensminger, admire the bright murals recently completed by four members of the Torrance Art Group for two hospital wards.

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## Anniversary Feted by Local Eastern Star

Torrance Chapter Order Eastern Star celebrated its 38th anniversary Thursday with a dinner served to its members and family. A barbecue chicken dinner was planned and prepared by Edna Babcock, chairman and Pearl Thayne, Lea Wells, Florence Viellenave, Francis Reisert, Doris Willets.  
Chairman for the dining room was Ruth Hardin, those helping were Suzi and Chuck Meyers, Lois and Herb Sherwood, Fern and Floyd Mead, Mae and Dave Jones, Joe Hardin and Vivian Cook. The tables were decorated with bougainvillea blossoms.  
Chapter was called to order by the Worthy Patron, John Pennington and opened in short form with Bettina Miller, Worthy Matron presiding. Serving as officers for those who were ill were Marguerite Morgan, Marshal; Frieda Shaffer, Electa; Jack Miller, Flag Bearer.  
During Escort Florence Viellenave, Deputy Grand Matron of the 80th District was escorted to the East. Those representing Torrance Chapter as Past Matrons and Past Patrons were Ernest and Jean Mosher; Mae and David Jones; Vivian and Frederick Cook; Marguerite and Edward Morgan; Joyce and Lawrence Miller; Billie Kerver, Frances Buckley, Addie Parks, Jack Miller, Vincent Viellenave, Floyd Mead, Garnett Satterfield, Grace Herd, Archer Lewis, Fred Bever and Homer Morgan.  
Good of the Order was presided over by John Pennington, Worthy Patron. Florence Viellenave and Bettina Miller addressed the Chapter briefly.  
Following a tradition of the OES, members renewed their obligation. Officers formed a circle inside and the members, led by the Worthy Patron gathered around to renew the obligation. At the close of chapter all were invited to the banquet room, where an anniversary cake was served.

### Day at Playground

Cookies and punch will be furnished by the Halldale PTA, Aug. 19 at the Halldale School at 1:30 p.m. All parents are invited to attend and experience a day at the L. A. City Playground under a program supervised by Mrs. Mary Halverson.  
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